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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAI	_ OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CIPOLLA MICHAEL (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									Relationship of Reportii Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Vice I			109	6 Owner er (specify		
MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC. 405 LEXINGTON AVENUE					02/27/2009 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										1: //0	F. (O)	A F 11	
(Street) NEW YC	ORK NY	<i>?</i> 1	.0174		_ 4. IT	Amei	nament	, Date	of Original	Filea	(Month/D	ay/Year)		ne) X	Form t	filed by One	Filing (Chec Reporting P e than One F	erson
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)												Perso	n		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ur) E	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Transaction Code (Instr. 5		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)		4 and Securiti Benefic Owned		es	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect t Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	ice Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		tion(s)		(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock			02/27	7/2009				М		567	A	(1)	3,	839	D	
Common Stock		02/27/2009					F		191	D	\$30).3	3,648		D			
Common Stock		03/02/2009					M		533	A	(1)	4,181		D			
Common Stock		03/02	03/02/2009				F		180	D	\$28	.85	4,	001	D			
Common Stock													2,951(2)		I	By 401(k) Plan		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion Date (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security 3. Transaction Date Execution if any (Month/D		Date, Transaction Code (Inst			on of I		Expiration	5. Date Exercisable Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)		
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Deferred Restricted Stock Units ("DRSUs")	(1)	02/27/2009			М			567	(3)		(3)	Common Stock	567		(1)	3,199	D	
DRSUs	(1)	03/02/2009			M			533	(4)		(4)	Common Stock	533		(1)	2,666	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each DRSU is the economic equivalent of one share of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock.
- 2. Mr. Cipolla has 2,951 shares of Minerals Technologies Inc. Common Stock under the Company's 401(k) Plan. The information in this report is based on a Plan Statement dated as of February 27, 2009.
- 3. Mr. Cipolla was granted 1,700 DRSUs on February 27, 2008, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2009.
- 4. Mr. Cipolla was granted 1,600 DRSUs on February 28, 2007, which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 28, 2008.

Remarks:

Charles E. Malone for Michael **Cipolla**

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/03/2009

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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